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House Bill 4324 (As Introduced)

Topic: Unsolicited E-mails **Sponsor:** Representative Marleau

Co-sponsors: None

Committee: House Energy and Technology

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The bill amends the Unsolicited Commercial E-mail Protection Act by increasing the penalties for violations. Violation of the act would be classified as a felony rather than a misdemeanor. The penalty would be increased from imprisonment for not more than 1 year or a fine of not more than \$10,000 or both to not more than 10 years or not more than \$25,000 or both. The penalty for violation in furtherance of another crime would increase from 4 years imprisonment or \$25,000 or both to 15 years or \$15,000 or both.